

EVALUATION OF INSTRUCTIONAL AND REMEDIAL SOFTWARE FOR SOL INSTRUCTION

The purpose of the review is to provide school divisions participating in the Standards of Learning Web-based Technology Initiative with evaluations and correlation of technology-based materials for instruction and remediation. The software review committee of a school division has reviewed the product and submitted the review.

- A school division submits only reviews of software/Web sites that are found to be effective for instruction and/or remediation.

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PRODUCT INFORMATION

- Title: Solar System
- Version #:
- Copyright Date: 2002
- Title of Series: Science Collection Series
- Title of Component [module], if applicable:
- Publisher/producer: Discovery Channel School
- System Requirements: Win 95 and the PowerPC Macintosh (16 MB RAM, 25 MB HD free, 16 bit color, Quicktime)..

Standards Of Learning Correlations And Degree Of Correlation With the Content of the Software Product

SCIENCE:

- ☒ Earth Science SOL #ES14(Exceptional)

UTILIZATION AND TEACHER PREPARATION

Excellent for Astronomy

Type and degree of teacher training required to support effective utilization of the software/Web site.

Teacher training - familiarity with CD-ROM and manipulating Web site.

Vendor teacher training available for this product - Not sure

If "YES," is cost: an additional charge; is training: on-site with company presenter; quality of training: meet expectations

Your additional comments:

TECHNICAL ASPECTS and TEACHER SUPPORT MATERIALS

MUST COMPLETE FORM USING ARIAL 10, OR TIMES NEW ROMAN 10, OR SIMILAR FONT

Indicate if the software/Web site has been reviewed in either of the following sources:

- In *EvaluTech* (<http://www.evalutech.sreb.org/>) - Yes or No: Yes
- if yes - date reviewed: 05/15/00 issue

- In *Educational Software Preview Guide* (ISTE)
(<http://www.pen.k12.va.us/VDOE/Technology/imt.html>) - Yes or No: No
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- if yes - date reviewed: